(9) Implementing a scheme of monetary rewards to informants and officers for providing information leading to seizures of Narcotics drugs.

(d) The various measures taken by the Government to curb drug trafficking have resulted in better coordination, exchange of information amongst the concerned enforcement agencies and in taking continuous drug interdiction efforts.

Infiltration of terrorists in India

†205. SHRI RAJ MOHINDER SINGH MAJITHA:
SHRI RAVI SHANKAR PRASAD:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that infiltration of terrorists have increased from the neighbouring countries in India during last months;

(b) if so, the facts in this regard;

(c) whether it is also a fact that this infiltration has been supported by the neighbouring countries; and

(d) if so, the details thereof alongwith the names of involved nations?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI SHRIPRAKASH JAISWAL): (a) to (d) As per available information, till the end of June 2006, the number of estimated infiltrators into Jammu and Kashmir from across the border was 299 compared to 92 during the corresponding period in the last year. There have also been reports of some cases of infiltration of some terrorists across the Indo-Bangladesh and Indo-Nepal borders.

Security concerns are taken up with these countries through the existing mechanisms set up for the purpose.

Drug smuggling

206. SHRIMATI S.G. INDIRA: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that according to U.N. report there has been a rise in drug smuggling into India;

†Original notice of the question was received in Hindi.